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FRENCH TROOPS READY FOR MARCH ON ESSEN GERMANY IS RESENTFUL BUT WILL NOT OPPOSE

BRITAIN WILL PAY HER WAR DEBT TO THE U. S. IN FULL

But There Must Be Time in
Which to Do This Without
Disturbing Trade

MONEY WAS SPENT FOR GOODS IN UNITED STATES

Payment Will Affect Both the
British and the American
Workings

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Negotiations between the American and British debt funding commissions opened today with a declaration by Stanley Baldwin, British chancellor of the exchequer, that all his government wanted was a "square deal" in the settlement of its war debt to the United States aggregating more than four billion dollars.

Asserting the mission he heads was not here "to ask favors or to impose on generosity," the chancellor said what was desired was "a fair business settlement" that would secure for America "the repayment to the last cent of those credits which the United States government established in America for us, their associates in the war."

Mr. Baldwin warned, however, that the British government having regard for the present heavy burden of taxation on its people, its commitments in costly mandates and other circumstances, had to consider very carefully the terms of the liquidation of the debt, lest an annual obligation be assumed which it might be impossible to meet in years of bad trade and falling revenues.

The chancellor's outline of the British position was in reply to a formal welcome from Secretary Mellon, chairman of the American commission, who explained the limitations of the law under which that commission was created, a law requiring repayment of the principal of the debts in 25 years and a minimum interest rate of four and one-quarter per cent.

Beyond this formal exchange of views little was accomplished at today's brief session, which was adjourned over until Wednesday. At that time a general discussion of the whole situation will be begun, and the British mission is expected to present additional data with reference to the general statement submitted today by the British chancellor.

President Harding was advised late today of the progress of the negotiations. Secretary Mellon and Senator Smoot, republican, Utah, another member of the American commission, spent half an hour with him at the White House. Under the debt funding law all negotiations entered into by the commission are subject to executive approval.

It was indicated that a chief problem before the commissions was a determination on how much Great Britain would be able to pay yearly without seriously disturbing trade relations between the two countries and imposing too great a strain upon the British treasury and people.

The British chancellor, in outlining his government's position, declared the settlement made here would determine the condition and material welfare of the great mass of wage earners in both Great Britain and the United States. He explained that to pay the debt his government will of necessity have to levy heavy taxes to meet the payments and this would decrease the purchasing power of the British working men and reduce British consumption of American products. The result would be, he said, that both the American farmer and the American worker would feel the pinch.

The British debt, he added, was not a debt for dollars sent to Europe, but for dollars spent in America. The goods were supplied in war times at war prices and to repay in goods Great Britain would have to send to America a far greater bulk of goods than it purchased. Payment in that manner, Mr. Baldwin declared, would affect the employment of the American people.

Tuesday
AD CALENDAR SEZ:
"IF YOU GOT
SUNSHINE BETTER
THAN ANYBODY ELSE
I'LL SELL NO
MATTER WHAT
THE WORLD'LL
WEAR A
PATH T'
YER DOOR
(IF Y' USE TH
WANT ADS)"
PAS 9

YOU MAY LEAD THE HORSE TO WATER BUT—



MAJOR CULBERSON KILLED M. C. LAMAR

Army Officer Shot Wichita Falls
Man to Death and Murmured
'Home Wrecker'

(Associated Press)
WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 8.—After being released on bond in the sum of \$5,000 signed by a dozen of the wealthiest men in Wichita Falls, Major W. L. Culbertson, Ninth infantry, U. S. A., on National guard inspection detail, charged with shooting and killing M. C. Lamar, 39, in front of Lamar's place of business this morning at 8:50 o'clock, will continue on his inspection trip of National guard units. It was said here tonight, Major Culbertson could not be located however, and at his office it was said he had already left the city.

Sheriff W. W. Murphy said all witnesses to the shooting were before the grand jury of the Thirtieth district court this afternoon. W. W. Barnes of Electra, who was within a few feet of the shooting, said he saw the two men talking in low tones in front of the Phonograph Shop and saw Culbertson suddenly draw an army automatic and fire at Lamar who reeled and fell. He said Culbertson fired the second shot after the man was down and then said "you have ruined my horse" or words to that effect. Tom Green, another eyewitness, made substantially the same statement. Witnesses said Lamar never said a word while being shot.

Major Culbertson was in civilian clothes at the time of the shooting and was clean shaven although he has worn a mustache for several years. He returned Sunday night from an inspection of National guard units in the Panhandle. Mrs. Culbertson had filed petition for divorce against Major Culbertson recently alleging cruelty. She asked for custody of one daughter, eleven years old and \$50 per month for each of three minor daughters. The Culbertsons have been married the second time following a previous divorce.

Lamar was married and is survived by a wife and two sons, seven and three.

MOTHER AND BABIES BURNED IN HOME

(Associated Press)
DICKSON, Tenn., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Beulah W. Works, 30, her four-day-old infant and her daughter, Catherine, aged 2, were burned to death when their home was destroyed by fire.

MEXICO WILL TRY FOR A DRY ZONE ALONG BORDER

(Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 8.—The government is considering a law looking to virtually bone-dry conditions along the international boundary by a heavy tax on saloons.

State to Proceed With the Hearing

Dozen Witnesses will be Placed on the Stand at
Bastrop Today to Tell of Seizure of
Victims of the Hooded Band

(Associated Press)
BASTROP, La., Jan. 8.—Legal forces of the State of Louisiana prepared tonight to dig deep tomorrow into the tragedy of Morehouse parish—the slaying of Daniel and Thomas Richards, whose deaths have been charged by Governor John M. Parker to "kiss murders." There was no hearing today because this was a holiday.

Today was largely one of conferences in preparation for the resuming tomorrow of the open court hearing. Twelve witnesses were summoned today to testify. Their testimony is expected to deal largely with the capture of Daniel and Richards and the finding of the mutilated and decapitated bodies in Lake LaFourche two weeks ago. It is possible these will lay a predicate for the confessions which the State has.

Approximately 100 State soldiers still were on duty here and at Mer Rouge tonight. Just when the State will be ready to begin making arrests is not yet known.

J. L. Daniel, father of Watt and himself a victim of the hooded and robed band, will be recalled to the witness stand tomorrow. The list of witnesses include Mr. Daniel's grand-daughter, Thelma Dade, 15 year old daughter of Mayor Dade of Mer Rouge; Sidney W. White and "Nip" Eckols, who were in the automobile from which Watt Daniel was taken and several other men were halted by the band at the time of the kidnapping. In addition to the testimony to be given by Daniel and his grand-daughter and the two men who were in the automobile with Watt Daniel, much interest is attached to the prospective testimony of C. C. (Tot) Davenport, a Mer Rouge citizen. Davenport was one of five men captured and taken into the woods by the kidnappers. He was released without being tortured.

Dr. McKinnis denied that he was in any way implicated in the kidnapping or slaying and statements have been made by several physicians that he was in Monroe, 25 miles distant at the time.

T. J. Burnett, placed in jail at the outset on a murder charge, is in a hospital at Shreveport where he was removed from the parish jail when a cold contracted several days ago developed seriously.

MONT REILY WAS HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—E. Mont Reily, governor of Porto Rico had two ribs broken in a motor car accident here Saturday and is now confined to his room in a local hotel.

I. W. W. IS STRONG AT BRECKENRIDGE

Reported That Six Hundred
Holders of Red Cards Are at
Work in Oil Fields

(Associated Press)
BRECKENRIDGE, Jan. 8.—The Gulf Oil Company, one of the biggest operators in Texas, has had a representative here several days, investigating I. W. W. activities. District Attorney E. L. Rough tonight declared in a statement concerning the opening of I. W. W. headquarters here. The company has hundreds of millions of dollars worth of property in the Breckenridge field he said.

Rough continued that he had information that the I. W. W. are several hundred strong in the Breckenridge field but that so far no reports of violence or threats disturbing oil operations have been received.

"We are keeping our ears on the ground and standing ready in any way possible to protect oil property in this county but have no power under existing State laws to prevent I. W. W. organizations from meeting," he declared commenting on these activities being under discussion before the Stephens county grand jury today. "The only protection, so far as I know, is under the espionage act of the Federal government."

The I. W. W. have been holding meetings in oil camps, opened a reading room, distributing literature to the effect that oil field workers should unite for better wages, the district attorney revealed.

"There are 600 Red card holders in Stephens county," he continued.

JOHN A. VALLS RESIGNED AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 8.—Resignation of John A. Valls, for 20 years district attorney of the Forty-ninth judicial district, and who is prosecuting the case against former Sheriff Frank Robinson of Nueces county, Joe Acoba, Lee Pizel and Cleve Goff, for the killing of Fred Roberts at Corpus Christi last October, reached Governor Neff today.

Germany Expects Ruhr Occupation

Reported at Berlin that Twelve Military Trains
Are on the Way to Dusseldorf Which
May be the Center of Operations

(Associated Press)
BERLIN, Jan. 8.—French preparations for an advance are already active under way at Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Muelheim, according to advices from these cities from official quarters. Twelve military trains are reported on their way to the Ruhr from France and troops apparently will become the headquarters of the supreme Ruhr command.

Three hundred garages have been appropriated there for French automobiles, the school buildings for administrative purposes. At Muelheim arrangements have been made for the accommodation of troops and at Duisburg numerous large warehouses have been taken over.

While it is commonly reported here that the French plan is to occupy Essen Wednesday, the belief prevails in some circles that the present preparations are aimed at carrying out the occupation on January 15 if the Germans fail to meet the reparations payment due on that date.

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GERMANY HELPLESS PREVENT INVASION

That Will Be the Plea Upon
Which World Sympathy Will
Be Sought:

(Associated Press)
BERLIN, Jan. 8.—The German government today issued a long communique replying to the French

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accusations of Germany's alleged default in the delivery of various materials on the reparations account.

The government admits having not completely fulfilled the obligations as regards deliveries of coal, timber and paying stones, but attributes this partly to the fact that the demands from the outset greatly exceed Germany's capacity; partly to strikes, transportation difficulties and other circumstances over which the government says it has no control and to a great extent to what it describes as the "unwarranted" conduct of the French authorities. For these reasons the government disputes the accusation that the default is voluntary.

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France Awaits the Move Expectantly

May be Danger that the Public will Press the
Government to Go Beyond the Point of
Original Intention in Occupation

(Associated Press)
PARIS, Jan. 8.—The soldiers of France will soon be marching into Essen, arousing the Germans with the music of their bands. This long talked of occupation is now accepted as an almost accomplished fact, and government officials, business men, even the bankers, worried by the exchange problem, regard it calmly. They display a reasonable amount of confidence in the results as evidenced by the resistance of the French to the reported bear movement in prospect from London.

There is expectation in certain circles close to the premier that the first phase of the Ruhr action will probably be carried out when the premier takes the floor in the chamber of deputies Thursday to make his statement before the house.

This phase is expected to be the occupation of Essen by a small joint force of French and Belgians as a guard for the technical forces and notification to the local authorities and mine operators there that the allies until further notice will collect a coal tax and impose an export duty on shipments from the district.

It is generally agreed that the premier will receive enthusiastic approval from parliament. The only danger is that there may be a tendency to push the government to intensified action in the Ruhr on ground that France is obliged to bear the whole burden, it ought to be done so as to bring the greatest results.

The general attitude seems to be that action had been decided upon and ought to be carried out before the Germans organize too much resistance, and it is contended that in any event Germany's default on coal may be considered justification under the treaty.

This coal default is expected to be declared at noon tomorrow when the reparations commission will have concluded the German hearing; it is even hoped that the decision will be unanimous for the default, as Sir John Bradbury, the British minister, said tonight he had not finally made up his mind.

Washington Plan Given No Place

Has Been in Paris for Several Days with no Positive
Indication as to What Consideration
has been Given Mr. Hughes

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—American proposals for an inquiry into the German reparations problem by a commission of financiers have been transmitted to Paris but still await definite French reaction to the plan, although a preliminary answer has been received here. No time limit was involved in the suggestion as put forth by Secretary Hughes, it was said authoritatively today, and the plan still is before the French government.

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some quarters abroad. What is lacking, apparently, is a clear understanding of the French position with respect to the plan and hope has not been abandoned in Washington that it may yet prove a means of escape for the allied governments from the consequences which it is believed in official quarters here must result from drastic measures of forcible reparations collections.

Since Mr. Hughes' speech at New Haven, no authorized spokesman has commented on the probable effect of actual seizures in the Ruhr region as planned by the French.

Yet there is no mystery in Washington as to what probably will follow, for the secretary frankly pointed out that economic authorities held that the forcible measures "will not produce reparations payments but might tend to destroy the basis of those payments which must be found in economic recuperation."

The view of the Washington government on this point has not changed.

LEGISLATURE IS TO MEET TODAY

(Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 8.—The race for speakership of the house of representatives of the Thirty-eighth legislature, which meets here tomorrow, was narrowed to two candidates when Tom Shires, representative from Waco, late today announced his withdrawal from the contest. This leaves the speakership to be decided between R. E. Seagler of Palestine and Lewis T. Carpenter of Dallas.

Although it had been reported Representative Carpenter also would withdraw from the race, the Dallas representative announced he would continue his campaign, after lengthy conferences with a number of his supporters.

Both Carpenter and Seagler forces are claiming a victory in tomorrow's election, the Seagler forces reporting more than 100 supporters. The speakership contest is expected to be the principal feature of tomorrow's sessions of the house and senate.

With few exceptions, all of the members of the legislature had arrived in Austin tonight. The two houses were scheduled today to assemble at 12 o'clock tomorrow noon.

AUSTIN, Jan. 8.—After a caucus of former service men today it was said that it is unlikely that an effort will be made to pass a State soldier bonus measure during the present legislative session. G. L. Folbre, State adjutant of the American Legion, also advised against introduction of a bonus measure.

A parade headed by the governor on horseback will precede the ceremonies at the fair grounds. And then comes the barbecue.

NO BULLDOZING FOR THE TURKS

They Are to Be Permitted to
Further Discuss the Treaty
After it is Drawn

(Associated Press)
LAUSANNE, Jan. 8.—When the allies' conception of what the Lausanne treaty should be is drafted, there is no intention and will be no disposition to take it to the Turks and say: "Now will you sign—yes or no?"

That was what the allied spokesmen made clear today in discussing the document which the treaty experts are compiling.

The allies say they will permit free discussion of the still disputed points in meetings of the full commissions, but that so much time has passed in the sub-commission debates that it has become imperative to sum up the work and submit the document in its complete form as possible.

Although it is true that General Harrington is preparing for the evacuation of the British troops, in view of contemplated peace, the Associated Press is informed that the British forces will remain in Constantinople until peace is actually made.

DEAN LAW UPHOLD BY SUPREME COURT

(Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 8.—The decision of the United States supreme court today, dismissing the case of Clyde Chandler against the State, and holding that the Federal prohibition act does not supersede the State prohibition laws, is a complete victory for the State act, officials said tonight.

In addition to the claim that the Federal act supersedes the State, it also was claimed that the State act is in direct conflict with the Federal law and therefore unconstitutional. The supreme court's decision in effect upholds the constitutionality of the State law, it was said.

The Weather
Oklahoma: On
Tuesday, fair;
Wednesday, fair;
warmer in west
portion.
East Texas on
Tuesday, fair;
colder in the
interior; Wednesday
fair.

Paris Weather.
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Maximum temperature 71.
Minimum 40.

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THE LORD HEARS AND SAVES:—The Lord is high above all that call upon him in truth. He will fulfill the desire of them that fear him; he will also hear them cry, and will save them.—Psalm 145:18, 19.

The Inhumanity of Man to Man.
When one reads the testimony of the pathologists in the Bastrop, La., trial, the human imagination fails in its effort at conception of the exquisite torture which must have been felt by Daniels and Richards; the victims of the unspeakable barbarity; and words fail in an effort to frame an anathema.

The reader can only wonder at man's inhumanity to man—can only faintly grasp the impulses of the hearts of men who could inflict such torture upon fellow humans.

No Co-operation For Davidson.
Chairman Allison Mayfield is very keen for the Southern Pacific to take over the Orient road—on its own terms. He can't see any merit in the plan proposed by Lieutenant Governor Lynch Davidson—which is very natural when one is acquainted with the chairman of the railroad commission.

When Mr. Davidson undertook with \$30,000 and a lot of common sense to get the State road into condition and to remove it as an incubus he was opposed by Mayfield and Neff and other members of the administration.

Mr. Davidson went ahead and the State road is in a fair way to earn something for the State of Texas—to repay the \$100,000 principal and the \$30,000 interest it owes the public school fund. And it no longer drains the State treasury of a hundred thousand a year.

But Mr. Davidson did it by himself and there are no thanks to be offered either Neff or Mayfield for any support given.

Now Mr. Davidson has a feasible plan for pulling the Orient out of the muck. The governor has nothing to say either in approval or opposition—Mr. Allison Mayfield is in opposition; after having several months of opportunity to work out the problem on his own account, and having during that time sided with the wishes and desires of the big systems of railroads.

TOM SIMS' PHILOSOPHY
"High noses," says Dr. Wood, "indicate brains." We say they may indicate the neighbors are cooking cabbage.

Fashion decrees women's winter shoes must have loose tongues. One calls them her prohibition shoes.

Money isn't everything, but it is very useful in paying bills.

Mary Garden says she likes mules better than men. We had no idea Mary was that old.

Governor-elect of New Hampshire is a former baseball player. We nominate Dempsey for budget director.

We have most of the world's autos. Money made the mare go.

Two robbers boarded an Ohio train but the porter pushed them off.

London doctor urges women to smoke pipes but you can't talk with a pipe in your mouth.

In Boston, a man's wife blew up. The drinks were on the house.

The way to a man's heart is through his mouth, but the way to a woman's is through her ears.

The Barton Bedtime Stories

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"Yes," Dr. Muskrat reflected, "it was their tails that saved the First Muskies—or Moniseras, as folks were beginning to call them in those days—for a second time. If their tails hadn't been squeezed out flat from holding their little grass nest in their little thorn tree all through the wild weather of the big flood, the whale would have swallowed them, sure as an oriole swallows cabbage worms."

Because he'd been sure they led to him when they said Shem didn't have them aboard his Dad's mussy old Ark. And the old heave, who hated mice, wouldn't have put in a word to save them. "You're sure Shem hasn't any of these?" "Plink," Shem asked.

"The seal," Shem said, "Uh-uh," he growled. "Nary a one. These look like they could swim, and I've heard those mice brag they had no use for water, not even to drink. Ashes! The dirty little things!"

"You can guess how my great-grandparents felt then. Swim! They had never dreamed of trying. And they'd come to feel that if ever the Big Flood went down enough for them to set paw on dry land they had all the water they'd need for a lifetime. But they didn't dare say anything."

Next Story: The First Muskrat House.

The FLAMING JEWEL
by ROBERT W. CHAMBERS
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Begin Here Today
It was QUINTANA and his band of international thieves who first stole the priceless gem, the flaming jewel, from the COUNTESS OF FESTHONIA. Love of the now beguiled countess forced JAMES DARRAGH to seek the gem and trace it to the disreputable "hotel" in the Adirondacks owned by MIKE CLINCH. Under the name of HAL SMITH, Darragh works at the Clinch "hotel," where he meets Clinch's beautiful stepdaughter.

EVE STRAYER, the one great influence for good on the crime-stained career of Clinch. When Quintana and his gang arrive in the vicinity, both Clinch and Hal Smith know they will stop at nothing to regain the lost filch from the royal casket. Clinch gives the jewel packet to Eve and tells her to go to the mountains and hide it in the "hooch-cache."

CHAPTER II
Slim and straight as a young boy in his gray skirt and breeches, Eve continued on lightly through the woods, her rifle on her shoulder, her eyes of gentian-blue always alert.

The morning turned warm; she pulled off her soft felt hat, shook open her clipped, curly, striped open shirt at her snowy throat, where sweat glistened like melted frost.

The forest was lovely in the morning sunlight—lovely and still—save for the blue-jays—for the summer birds had gone and only birds destined to a long Northern winter now remained.

Eve's trail was light on the moist trail; her quick eyes missed nothing—not the dainty imprint of deer, fresh made, nor the sprawling insignia of rambling raccoons—nor the big barred owl huddled on a pine limb overhead, nor where the swift, evenly reaches of the brook caught sunlight, did she miss the swirl and furrowing and milling of painted trout on the spawning beds.

In her cartridge-pouch she carried the flat, sealed packet which Clinch had trusted to her. The sack swayed gently as she strode on, slapping her left hip at every step, and always her subconscious mind remained on guard and aware of it, and now and then she dropped her hand to feel of the pouch and strap.

From Star Peak's left flank an icy stream clatters down to the level floor of the woods, here; and it was here that Eve had meant to quench her thirst with a mouthful of sweet water.

But as she approached the tiny ford, warily, she saw a saddled horse tied to a sapling and a man seated on a mossy log.

The trooper of horse, the av-green uniform of the man, left no room for speculation; a trooper of the State constabulary was seated there.

His cap was off; his head rested on his palm. Elbow on knee, he sat there gazing at the water—watching the slim fish, perhaps, darting up stream toward their bridal-beds hidden far away at the headwaters.

A detour was imperative. The girl from the shelter of a pine, looked out cautiously at the trooper. The sudden sight of him had merely checked her; now the recognition of his uniform started her heart out of its tranquil rhythm and set the blood burning in her cheeks.

There was a memory of such a man seared into the girl's very soul—man whose head and shoulders resembled this man's—who had the same bright hair, the same slim and powerful body—and who moved, too, as this young man moved.

The trooper stirred, lifted his head to light his pipe.

The girl knew him. Her heart stood still; then heart and blood ran riot and she felt her knees

with his back to him while he searched his pockets, which resulted in his getting \$10 in cash and a check for \$5.25 on Fred Griffin, ex-county commissioner.

After getting the money the highwayman ordered him to move on. No arrest has yet been made.

RENON AND BESS ARE READY TO SERVE YOU
Rennon and Bess will open the Dunlap Eat Shop today at 11 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to come in and inspect our new place. We will have the nearest little place that Paris has ever had—everything new, and with the same excellent service that has always characterized our place of business. Renon will have charge of the culinary department, while Bess will look after the serving of the food. Come today at 11.

DUNLAP'S EAT SHOP,
No. 8, Clarksville street.

WANTED HOGS
By Jan. 29th a car of hogs, Ring 619 or see Jno. Waterman at Morgan Hotel.

RAISING TURKEY ON SHARES IN CLAY COUNTY
S. M. Tomlinson, formerly of Paris, who moved to Clay county four years ago and is farming near Byers, is back on a visit. He said he made half a bale to the acre last year and that he made \$400 raising turkeys. He said "that he expected to go in the turkey business much more extensively this year. In addition to raising them himself he has loaned some hens to raise on shares to people who were unable to buy."

SEIZED BY TAIL AND KILLED WITH A CLUB
Edith Parsons, the 16-year-old son of J. D. Parsons, who lives on Round Prairie near Garrett's Bluff, killed a big wolf last Thursday night while he and some of the neighbor boys were out hunting. After having run the wolf two or three hours the dogs layed it on a branch.

While they had it surrounded and it was snapping at them the Parsons boy caught it by the tail and dragged it toward himself and dispatched it with a club.

Wolves have been annoying farmers in that vicinity for some time by catching and killing young pigs.

SMALL GROCERY WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE
The small grocery store owned by Lloyd Beal and located on North main just across the road from the abattoir, was completely destroyed by fire last night. It is outside the city limits and when the chemical was gotten into action the frame building was too far gone for it to be effective.

TO BUILD ADDITION TO HIS HOME
A permit has been issued to M. L. Rodgers, residing on South Thirty-first street to make repairs and build addition to his home. The improvements to cost \$2,000.

SOUTHWESTERN TELEPHONE CO. TO KEEP OPEN HOUSE
The Southwestern Telephone Co. will keep open house, beginning Wednesday, from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. up to and including Saturday. Every patron and individual in Paris, whether a subscriber or not, is cordially invited to visit our plant and make an inspection. Will be pleased to show you the working arrangements of the plant and to let the public see the service that is being given. You are cordially invited to come to the office, go through it, and make a personal inspection. Bring your friends with you—you will be welcomed.

Southwestern Telephone Co.
E. M. Rogers, Manager.

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LARGE BUCKET OF MRS. TUCKER'S SHORTENING \$1.20 AT HILL'S CASH & CARRY GROCERY.

TOURNAMENT AT SUMNER SUCCESS

Basketball Games Were Largely Attended and the Contests Were Exciting

The basketball tournament that was staged at Sumner Saturday afternoon proved an exciting and there were close games played. The schools competing in the contest were Sumner, Caviness, Emberson, and Howland, each sending at least two quintets. These tournaments provide excellent sport, not only for the participants but for the spectators and are deserving of the patronage and encouragement.

Following are the results as furnished The Morning News, which will be glad to print the results of all games played in the county, and will also be glad to give advance notice.

The first game played Saturday was the Senior girls of Caviness vs. Sumner Senior girls, Caviness winning 22 to 2.

The Sumner Senior boys were less seniors by a score of 25 to 3.

The Howland Senior boys turned the tables on the Sumner Seniors, winning by a score of 10 to 9. This was a closely contested game and hard fought all the way through.

The Emberson Seniors won from the Howland Seniors by a count of 12 to 9 and this was another hotly contested game.

The Emberson Junior girls won from the Sumner Juniors by the score of 10 to 8.

Emberson Senior boys won from Caviness by the score of 16 to 2.

The games were witnessed by a large crowd of basket ball fans and the rooting was strong.

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BREAK CHEST COLDS WITH RED PEPPER

Ease your tight, aching chest. Stop the pain. Break up the congestion. Feel a bad cold loosen up in just a short time.

"Red Pepper Rub" is the cold remedy that brings quickest relief. It cannot hurt you and it certainly seems to end the tightness and drive the congestion and soreness right out.

Nothing has such concentrated penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into colds, congestion, aching muscles and sore stiff joints, relief comes at once.

The moment you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes the congested spot is warmed through and through. When you are suffering from a cold, rheumatism, stiff neck, headache or sore muscles, just get a jar of Rowles' Red Pepper Rub, made of red peppers at any drug store. You will have the quickest relief known. Always say "Rowles'."

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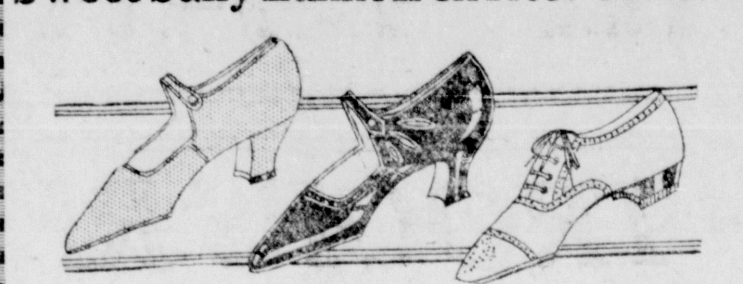
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Sweet Sally Lunn Arch Rest Oxford



The best Oxford made for women who are on their feet all day. They fit and give the foot a chance to rest—are natural and comfortable. In brown kid and combination lasts.

PRICED AT \$7.00 THE PAIR

One table of Oxfords and Straps for girls. This is a shoe that will serve nicely for every-day wear. It is not what could be termed a strictly high grade shoe, but it is a bargain at the price.

CHOICE \$2.95 A PAIR

Bargain in Men's Shoes

Broken sizes in men's shoes in several different lasts. If your size is here you can get a shoe that formerly sold up to as high as \$12.50.

CHOICE \$4.95

We also have a full line of sizes in the famous Crossett for men. This is strictly a high grade shoe for dress wear, in the modified English lasts. In blacks, browns and kangaroo.

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Let us supply your needs in new books. We can outfit the office or store.

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Ask Your Doctor to send your prescriptions to Snell-Coffey Drug Co.

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COUGH? Try PISO's—asthmatically quick relief. Asyrupunkle all other—pleasant—does not upset stomach—no opiates, 35c and 60c every where.

PISO'S for Coughs & Colds

Nothing brightens up the home more than nice rugs. We have them from the very highest priced rugs to the lowest prices. All sizes. All kinds. All prices.

LET THIS STORE SUPPLY YOUR EVERY NEED IN FURNISHINGS—

We have the largest and best selected stock in North Texas to select from. May we show you?

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We are now prepared to make some LOANS on good city property.

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GOOD health, the signs of which are so plainly written in looks and action, comes from within—the natural result of right food, such as Grape-Nuts.

Crisp, delicious and soundly nourishing—easily digested and quickly assimilated—Grape-Nuts brings happy smiles at the breakfast table and happy feelings afterward.

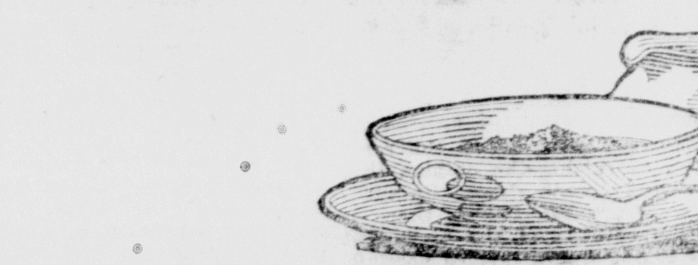
All the family will thank you for including Grape-Nuts in your grocery order today. It's ready to serve in a moment with cream or milk.

Grape-Nuts—THE BODY BUILDER
"There's a Reason"
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The New Home

will soon be ready and then we shall move.
In the meantime, the discount on Silver and other goods continues.

CALDWELL

The Well-Shod Boy

Everybody looks up to him; his playmates, his teachers, the older fellows. Well-kept shoes are an indication of a wide-awake boy of orderly habits who has a respect for his appearance. It's up to the mothers to start their boy right with a sturdy good-looking pair.



a dandy pair of shoes that a boy will take pride in keeping shined may be had here for \$5 or as low as \$2.50.

Famous Shoe Store

North Side of Plaza



FOR HOME BAKING
For home baking there is no flour that excels

Paris Special Flour

It is good—all the time—never disappoints.
YOUR GROCER HAS IT
If you are not using Paris Special Flour, now is the time to start to and join the big group of satisfied users.

PARIS MILLING CO.
PARIS, TEXAS.

You Are Not Too Late To Join Our

Christmas Savings Club

Eliminate Debt From Your Christmas Thoughts By Joining Today. Clubs Pay.

\$250.00, \$127.50, \$100.00, \$63.75, \$50.00, \$25.50

or less, according to the class you join

Stick this reminder in your hat and join now

Lamar State Bank & Trust Co.

We Pay 4 per cent Interest

A BANKING CONNECTION

—will increase your standing in the business world, and will give you a rating that you would not otherwise get.

This Bank makes a specialty of looking after the interests of its customers, and is at all times ready and pleased to serve them. May we have the pleasure of serving you?

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

Paris, Texas.

Piles Can Be Cured

(itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding)

Many sufferers have been made very happy over the results obtained from the use of PAZO OINTMENT—60c at any Drug Store.

(Follow the Directions Carefully.)

We hope the New Years Brings to all
HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY

SCOTT TITLE COMPANY

Abstracts of Title
T. M. SCOTT, President

—Society—



MRS. A. P. BOYD

Mrs. Boyd was formerly Miss Irma Spence of Gainesville, whose wedding took place there on January 3d.

The Sorosis Club.

The Sorosis club will have its meeting this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Robert Alexander, Mrs. Robert Coleman directing the study.

Fourth Ward P.-T. A.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Fourth ward school will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the school building.

The Lotus Club.

The Lotus club meets this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. S. B. M. Long on South Church street and Mrs. G. M. Price will direct the lesson.

Temple-Allen.

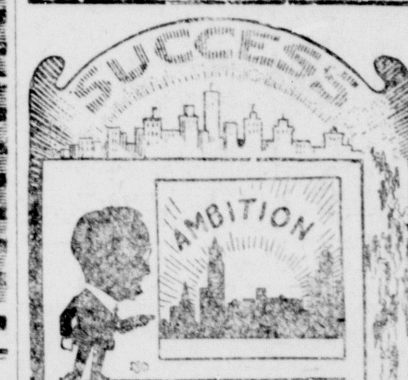
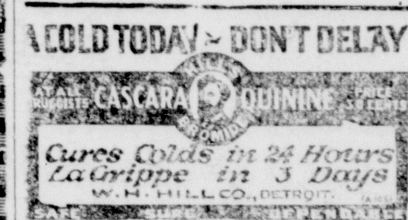
At his home one mile west of Cunningham, Rev. Joseph Scott united in marriage Mr. Ira Wayne Temple and Miss Altha Belle Allen. Miss Allen is the daughter of Mr.

COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Natural Color and Lustre at Once

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, faded and streaked hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use preparation improved by the addition of other ingredients, a large bottle at little cost, at drug stores known as "Wych's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wych's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so evenly and naturally. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.



AMBITION is the mainspring of civilization. A proper business training is the backbone of a better citizenship. Knowing how is the courage that cashes in.



John Allen of old Cunningham. This marriage unites two of our oldest families.
The young couple were accompanied by several of their many friends.

They will be at home to their friends at the home of Mr. Joe Temple of Cunningham, where they intend to make their home for the present.

East Paris Mothers to Meet.

The mothers of all East Paris school students are asked to meet this afternoon at 3:30 in the old school to discuss matters of importance, particularly the plans for the opening of the new building.

An Anniversary Luncheon.

The James McCuiston chapter, United States Daughters of 1812, yesterday celebrated the 11th anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, with a charming luncheon at the Gordon country club.

Covers were laid for 32, a table beautifully appointed in the society's colors of gray and blue. Silver candelsticks with blue candles, gray Louisiana moss and bowls of blue flowers were most effectively employed in decoration. An American flag and a profusion of cut flowers in the reception hall added much to the general attractiveness.

Miss Constance McCuiston, the regent, acted as toastmistress and welcomed the chapter's guests.
Mrs. Frea Grimes, accompanied by Mrs. Corinne Dargan-Brooks, gave a beautiful rendition of "The Star-Spangled Banner." Mrs. Grimes and Mrs. Hoyt Braselton sang a lovely duet arrangement of "Sing, Sing, Birds of the Wing," and Mrs. Braselton rendered a pretty solo.

Mrs. W. G. Trulock's subject was the Battle of New Orleans and she handled this admirably.

Miss McCuiston gave a sketch of the Daughters of 1812, the National organization and their general purpose.

The affair was a most delightful and appropriate one and both chapter members and guests enjoyed the occasion to the fullest.

PERSONAL
Mrs. George Wright and children left Saturday for Houston in response to a message that her father, Mr. Laughlin, was ill. He is now much improved.

Mrs. W. H. McBrayer of Hawthorth, OK., spent last night in Paris.

K. C. Snyder and wife of Pontotoc, Miss., were in Paris last night.

Mrs. J. T. Morgan returned from Denton, where she took her daughter, Miss Lolla, to school.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.

HE FINDS RELIEF AFTER TWO YEARS

George Carney is Freed of Stomach Trouble of Long Standing Gives Tanlac Full Credit

"Tanlac has given me so much relief after I had suffered such a long time, that I can hardly find words to fully express my gratitude," declared George Carney, of 173 Broad street, Spartanburg, S. C., a well known machinist for the Spartanburg Cadillac Company.

"For about two years I was in such wretched health I could scarcely do any work. I had stomach trouble all the time and after every meal I would bloat up with gas, till I could hardly stand it, and sometimes at night this trouble would make me so nervous that I could not sleep.

COTTON WENT OFF RALLIED A LITTLE

European Politics Chief News During the Day and Effect Was Not Good

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Nervousness over European political conditions was supposed to account for the restricted volume of business in the cotton market here today and the irregularity of fluctuations.

Early declines were followed by rallies and while the latter were not fully maintained the market showed a fairly steady undertone during the afternoon, closing steady at net declines of 13 to 19 points.

March sold up from 26.35 to 26.55 and closed at 26.49, compared with 26.67 at the close of Saturday.

The market opened easy at a decline of 20 to 30 points owing to relatively easy cables from Liverpool and the weak ruling of the early market for foreign exchange which naturally served to emphasize the unsettled state of affairs in Europe.

There was considerable scattering liquidation and some Southern selling which soon sent prices off to 26.52 for May and about 25 to 30 points below Saturday's closing quotations on the more active positions.

A rally carried May up to 26.73, but this bulge met further realizing or liquidation and later fluctuations were irregular, with last prices some 5 to 7 points off from the best.

Part of the day's business here was attributed to further evening up of accounts pending more settled conditions abroad. Exports for the day 29,385 bales, making 2,943,705 so far this season. Port receipts 33,623. U. S. port stocks 1,013,382.

WHEAT WAS LOWER HEAVY MAKETINGS

(Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Wheat advanced a little lower in price today with many traders giving heed to an opinion from an influential source that too much wheat was coming into sight to permit a bull market.

The close was unsettled at the same as Saturday's finish to 1/4 cent off, May \$1.17 1/2 to 3/4 and July \$1.10 1/2 to 3/4. Corn lost 1/4 to 1/2 cent, oats were unchanged to a shade down and provisions varying from 10 cents decline to a like advance.

CATTLE WERE SLOW ON HEAVIER RECEIPTS

(Associated Press)
FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 8.—Increased cattle receipts here and at other trading centers resulted in a downward revision in prices and the market was slow. Striking an average, fat cattle values were 15 to 25 cents lower and on stocker stuff there was a drop of 25 cents for the most part. South Texas calves looked 25 to 50 lower but natives were steady for the most part, with some sales around 25 cents. Receipts amounted to 4000 head of cattle and 2000 calves. It was the largest run of the new year.

HOGS HELD STEADY ON LIGHT RECEIPTS

(Associated Press)
FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 8.—Although the hog market was mostly 5 to 10 cents lower, some deals on the best kinds were barely a nickel off. Two cars of choice quality sold at \$4.45 and most of the run went at \$2.25 to \$4.40. Pigs were mostly steady but spots were 25 cents higher. An outside sale was made at \$7 and a few pigs brought 6.85, but a range of \$5.50 to 7.50 caught most of the run. Hog house receipts amounted to 1500 head.

IS NO DEMAND FOR THE REFINED SUGARS

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The raw sugar market was easier and spot prices were 1 1/4 cents lower to the basis of 3 3/4 cents for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 5.40 for centrifugals; sales of 5000 bags to a local refiner.

There was no improvement in the demand for refined sugar. Prices were unchanged at \$9.90 for fine granulated.

COFFEE FUTURES STEADY BUT QUIET

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The market for coffee futures remained comparatively quiet but showed continued steadiness today with prices making new high ground for the season on covering by trade or other shorts in the near months. Sales were estimated at about 22,000 bags. January 10.12; March 10.13; May 9.74; July 9.34; September 8.78; December 8.50.

COTTONSEED OIL WAS IN PROFESSIONAL HANDS

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Cottonseed oil was quiet and easier in sympathy with other commodities markets. Trading was mainly professional. Closing bids were 1 to 10 points net lower. Sales 9600 barrels. Prime crude 9.50; prime summer yellow spot 10.60; January 10.70; March 10.36; May 11.12; all bid.

WHEAT PRODUCTION ABOVE LAST YEAR'S

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—World wheat production for the present season's consumption is placed at 3,949,372,000 bushels compared with 3,640,918,000 for last season, by the department of agriculture

"Feather Your Feet" in the Shoe Store

Crook Record Co.

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Stylish Stout Shoes

FOR

STOUT WOMEN

At all times we try to carry a complete line of "outsized" shoes for ladies with stout ankles.



Ladies who have stout ankles should not worry about their shoes when we carry these "outsized" shoes

One Style

\$3.95

One Style

\$5.00

Black Kid, Brown Kid, Outsize Top, Lace, Combination Last, Goodyear welts, in most any size, from 2 1/2 to 12.

in its revised estimates just issued. The northern hemisphere 1922 crop, grown in 36 countries, totals 2,721,667,000 in the 1921 crop.

Canada, the United States and Mexico all had larger crops than the previous year, and the 24 countries in Europe produced 219,000,000 bushels less.

Germany's wheat production, according to the final estimate, is 71,907,000 bushels, compared with 107,798,000 the previous year, and 148,556,000 produced in the same territory in 1913.

PERCALES ADVANCED THREE-QUARTER CENTS

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Cotton goods were firm and steady today. Percales were advanced to a basis of 14 1/2 for 4-4, 64-60s and 3/4 cent a yard higher on all goods printed on dark grounds. Burlaps advanced sharply on news of a rise in Calcutta. Raw silk was slightly higher with the demand light. Wool goods were quiet. Jobbers reported a steady call for quick shipment goods.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting
Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank, Petty, Texas, will be held in its banking building on January 9, 1923, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.

Lowell Russell, Cashier.

FURANK'S MEAT MARKET

I have opened a new meat market at No. 7, Rusk street in the building formerly occupied by Dunlap's Eat Shop. I have one of the cleanest, neatest markets in the city and intend to give the public the very best meats, both fresh and cured, that are obtainable. I will take great pleasure in giving you the very best of meats, and the very best of service. We will deliver promptly to any part of the city. My shop and its contents are no farther than your telephone. Phone us your orders and we'll do the rest. Thank you.

GUS EUBANKS.

Phone 485. 7 Rusk St.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lamar State Bank and Trust Company of Paris, Texas, will be held in the offices of company at 4 p. m. on Tuesday, January 9, 1923, for the purpose of election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Morris Fleming, Cashier.

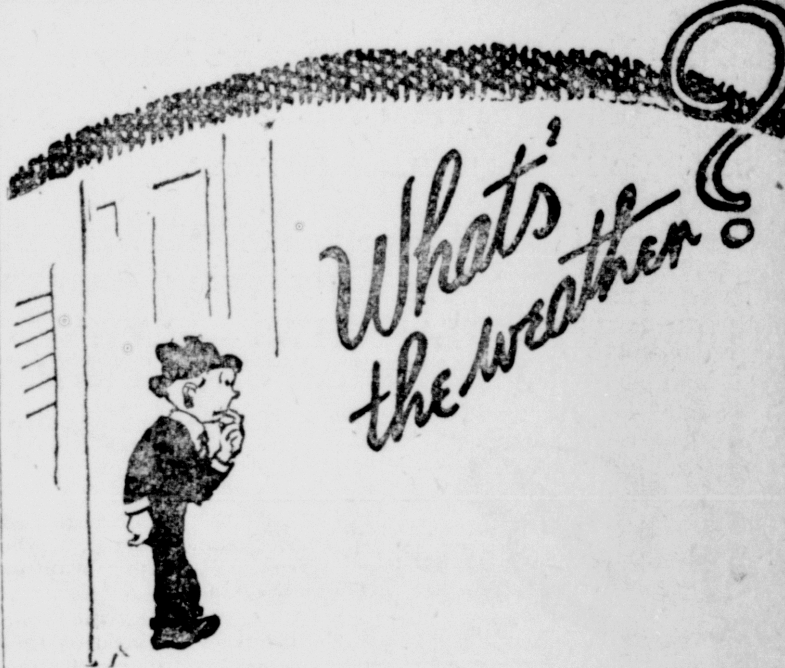
Dodge touring—1920 production original finish like new—original top—an unusually good car—\$550. Terms. Scarborough & Caldwell.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

First Step in Treatment is a Brisk Purgative With Calotabs, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nausealess, Safe and Sure.

Doctors have found by experience that no medicine for colds, coughs, sore throat and influenza can be depended upon for full effectiveness until the liver is made thoroughly active. That is why the first step in the treatment is the new nausealess calomel tablets called Calotabs, which are free from the sickening and weakening effects of the old style calomel. Doctors also point out that an active liver may go a long way towards preventing influenza and colds and is one of the most important factors in enabling the patient to successfully withstand an attack and ward off pneumonia.

One or two Calotabs on the tongue at bedtime, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and you are feeling fine. Genuine Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages.



Cold isn't it?
Going to be colder, too; so the weather man says, and he knows.
And the farther we advance into winter, and the colder the weather becomes, the more will be your need of a good stove.
After all, a stove is a first-class investment. Think of the comfort and happiness it brings, and when you get one installed you won't care what's the weather. You'll be prepared.
Come in and let's talk stoves.

Johnson Billingsley Company

Queen Incubators & Brooders

The Incubator with a Reputation
Famous for Big Hatches
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Chicken Founts
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Poultry Punches

Chicken Wire
Catalogue on
Poultry Raising

Before you buy an incubator or brooder let us show you why you should own a Queen.

We can save you money on your Hardware Bill, too. See us for everything in Hardware.

House Hardware Company

A Car of Galvanized Iron Just Received.

Bonham Street Phone 136.

NOTICE

Beginning Monday, January 8th, I will have a general line of Nursery stock at the corner of Houston and Wall streets, in the city of Paris, consisting of Shade Trees, Shrubs, Fruit Trees, Evergreens, Roses, etc., for sale at special prices. Will have an experienced man in charge of same.

Would be glad to supply your wants. Get ready for Tree Planting Week. Plan to Plant Another Tree.

Bush Nurseries

HUGO, OKLAHOMA.

AS LIGHT AND AIRY AS THE
COMING SPRING ARE THESE

New Taffeta Dresses and New Spring Hats



We have just received a new shipment of pretty taffeta dresses in navy blue, browns and black.

Many New and Original Models
of course, no two of them are alike.

Tight bodices—Full skirts—Many ruffles—
tucks and ribbons are some of the style features.

Priced only

\$24.50 AND \$29.50



Have You Selected Your New Hat Yet?

It is such a relief from the dull drab colors of the last few months to wear one of these pretty flower, fruit or ribbon trimmed hats.

A Big New Showing of Regina Pattern HATS

are being sold here at the Manufacturer's cost.

Our Piece Goods Department is Showing Many Pretty New Goods
Early Spring Arrivals

FOULARDS — TAFFETAS — RATINES —
HOMESPUNS — TWEEDS — WASH GOODS

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THE STORE AHEAD

MODERN HOUSEKEEPING REQUIRES MODERN EQUIPMENT

A HOT POINT IRON

will help you modernize your housekeeping methods.

Texas Power & Light Co

Your water bill is due between the 1st and 10th of every month.

Meet Your Friends at Our Fountain Hot Drinks

Only the best goods obtainable

Sandwiches

Ham, Chicken Salad, Pimento Cheese, Swiss and American Cheese served here

Pies

Hot Chocolate, Coffee, Beef and Apple, Coconut and Chocolate Tomato Bouillon, Hot Malted Milk, and the best

Chili

served in the city.

Palace Drug Store Fountain 379—Phone—2055

Piles Cured Without the Knife

Piles cured within a few days. No cutting, burning or sloughing. No detention from business while being cured. Also the latest and most approved method of treating rectal diseases.

DR. J. L. LEVERETT
308 1st National Bank Bldg

MRS SAM SAUNDERS DIED APPENDICITIS

Wife of Well Known Business
Man Succumbed to Illness
After Operation

Mrs. Sam Saunders, wife of Sam J. Saunders of Paris, died at 7:35 o'clock Sunday morning at a local sanitarium. She was operated on Christmas day for appendicitis.

The funeral services were held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence, 541 Cleveland street, and was conducted by the Rev. F. L. Wear, after which interment was made at Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Saunders was born and reared in Paris. She had been married to her husband, a well known business man, for 25 years. Before her marriage she was Miss Lillie Ryan, daughter of Pleasant Ryan, a pioneer citizen of Paris, who came here from Kentucky with the Williams and other families.

Besides her husband she is survived by two brothers, who reside in Fort Worth, and a sister, Mrs.

A Good Thing—Don't Miss It.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain's Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gas, pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve that is needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only five cents. Don't miss it.

Notice of Stockholders and Directors meeting, Paris and Mount Pleasant Railroad Co.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Paris and Mount Pleasant Railroad Co. will be held at the office of the company in Paris, Texas, on Thursday, February 1, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally presented. The regular meeting of the directors of the company will be held at the same time and place on the adjournment of the stockholders' meeting.

Dated: Paris, Texas, December 29, 1922.
R. F. Scott, President.
Attest: N. H. Ragland, Secretary.

Emma Bray, who resides in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. J. W. Wicks, wife of J. W. Wicks, a farmer living at Honey Grove, died Sunday morning at a sanitarium in Paris where she had been a patient about two weeks. The remains were taken back to Honey Grove for burial.

Funeral of S. P. Anderson

The funeral service for S. P. Anderson Sunday afternoon at the home of his son, W. H. P. Anderson, on Pine Bluff street, was attended by an unusually large number of old Confederates. After the service the remains were borne to Hopewell cemetery northwest of town for burial. The pallbearers were M. H. Rhine, Homer Parsons, Will Burge, O. C. Lowry, S. J. Bridges and U. S. Logie.

Obit

The year-old child of Richard Olive of Idabel, Okla., died at 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning at a local sanitarium from pneumonia. The remains were taken back in the afternoon to Idabel for burial.

Dr. C. A. Stewart

Dr. C. A. Stewart, aged 69 years, died Saturday at Grant, Okla., where he had been engaged in the practice of medicine the last eight years. He is survived by a wife and daughter, Mrs. Robert Redmond of El Paso. He had lived in Fort Worth before going to Oklahoma, and the remains were taken back to that city for burial. They passed through Paris Sunday afternoon accompanied by his wife and daughter and aunt, Miss Mary Looney of Fort Worth. C. C. Biard, the druggist at Grant, at whose store he had his office, also accompanied the remains as far as Paris.

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NOTICE DEMOLAYS

Be at the Masonic Temple next Thursday, January 11 at 7 p. m. if you want to get in the Demolay Patrol. We mean business for we have a fellow who can start the Patrol again and keep it going if you come out and give your support.

STANLEY SHANNON, Scribe

O. C. DICKSON APPOINTED COUNTY TREASURER

At the meeting of the county commissioners court yesterday O. C. Dickson was appointed county treasurer and his bond was placed at \$50,000. Wallace Collins had been elected to the office in the general election in November, but he declined to qualify.

Church News

First Baptist Y. W. A.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church meets Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Howard Mauldin.

The Euzelean Class

The Euzelean class of the First Baptist Sunday school meets at 3 o'clock this afternoon with Mrs. Russell Feaser, 154 East Price street. Misses Thad Williams and Gaither Dunagan assisting in entertaining.

A Growing Sunday School

Jep Taylor of Taylortown, who was in the city yesterday, stated that the attendance Sunday at the Sunday school that was organized two weeks ago at that place was double what it was the first meeting.

Notice, K. B. C.

All members of the King's Bible Class are requested to meet at the First Baptist church tonight at 6:15; important business and refreshments.

Be sure to make special arrangements to be there as it will not last long.

Meeting at Oden Chapel

An evangelistic meeting will be conducted at Oden Chapel on Maple avenue on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday night by Rev. G. R. Dozier, evangelist of the Nazarene church.

Everybody is invited to attend these services.

Preached at Emberson

Robert G. Cook preached to the church of Christ congregation at Emberson Sunday at both morning and evening services, and W. G. Stroup led the singing. They were accompanied by their wives and were entertained at dinner at the home of Dave N. Hance.

The Glee Club Here

The Glee Club of Texas Christian University will give a program this evening at the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock.

The program is a varied one, and includes a wide range of selections, including concert and popular numbers, a vaudeville sketch, and other novel features.

To Have Illuminated Bulletin Board

The First Baptist church will have erected this week an illuminated bulletin board on the exterior of the church in order that announcements may be easily read at night as during the day. The name of the church and service hours, with other notices will be posted in this manner on a board 72 by 44 inches.

An Anniversary Sermon

An anniversary sermon to the Odd Fellows lodge at Brookston was preached Sunday by Rev. C. D. King, pastor of the Methodist church, who is a member. There were several representatives present from Wilsey lodge of Paris, and the Boston and Broadway lodges were also represented. The citizens of Brookston took the visitors to their homes for dinner.

W. C. T. U. Representative to Speak

Mrs. Zoe Baldwin Sublette, State organizer for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will speak at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the annex of the First Baptist church, in the interests of the organization. All women of the city who are concerned in the uplift work of the union and particularly the representatives of the Federation of Women's Church Societies, are especially urged to attend.

First Baptist Circle One

Circle One of the First Baptist Ladies' Auxiliary met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Egloff. Mrs. W. M. Wright leading the devotional services from the 90th Psalm.

Mrs. Williams led in prayer and Mrs. Warner conducted the musical study.

A delicious refreshment course was served after the program.

The next meeting will be at 2:30 Monday afternoon for Bible study at the home of Mrs. R. E. Butler.

Revival at Cato

Rev. W. A. Bryan, the Baptist, associational missionary, preached the last of a series of eight sermons Sunday night at Cato, near Caviness.

In all, there were 11 professions of faith. Eight made profession at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday. The missionary will work in the direct community work in the city.

The fifth Sunday meeting which was held at Page Chapel, near Caviness, was pronounced one of the best in the history of the association.

First Presbyterian Circle Foss

Circle Four of the First Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary met Monday evening with Miss Bennie Hall, a number of young ladies being present.

The meeting opened with a song, and this was followed by a brief business session.

Mrs. John Farmer conducted the lesson, and the questions were on the Book of Numbers.

Miss Eugenia Griffith gave a reading which was very much enjoyed.

The hostess served a refreshment course during the social hour. The next meeting, on February 5, will be held with Mrs. Clarence Turner and Miss Louise Baughn.

First Christian W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian church met Monday afternoon in general session at the home of Mrs. R. L. Gooch on Lamar avenue, with an unusually large attendance.

The lesson on "Our Island Missions" was directed by Mrs. B. H.

Sharpe, Mrs. A. M. McCormick

conducting the devotional service. Mrs. McDonald told of the work in the Philippines. Mrs. W. W. Biard discussed "Christian Democracy in Porto Rico and Jamaica," and Mrs. C. T. Ford gave a brief account of the forty years' work of the Christian Women's Board of Missions.

The ladies enjoyed a delicious refreshment course at the close of the lesson.

Dr. Pender at West Paris Church

Altogether the services at the West Paris church on Sunday were the best in every point in some time.

Dr. R. C. Pender spoke in the evening in behalf of the Buckner Orphan Home, of which he is the field representative, and a substantial contribution was given him for the rebuilding of the recently burned home.

Rev. Mr. Hutcherson, the pastor, gave a most appropriate address in the evening, stressing the significance of the new year as a time for re-consecration and renewal of purpose.

The church has made real headway the past twelve months, and is on the road to further achievement this year.

There were three additions to the church.

New B. Y. P. U. Officers

At the semi-annual election of officers at the West Paris B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Beatrice Harris.

Vice-president—J. M. Gladden.

Recording secretary—Mrs. Willie C. Cockett.

Treasurer—Jas. E. Lemaster.

Corresponding secretary—Miss Evelyn Lawrence.

Bible readers' leader—Miss Grace Chastain.

Crusader—W. E. Cook.

Group captain—Miss Mattie Ella Wood. Miss Edna Lawrence, Mrs. E. Hutcherson and Arthur Lemaster.

The new officers will be installed next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. This B. Y. P. U. is comprised of a lively group of young people who are doing some very effective work in the church.

Bonham Street M. S. C.

The Mission Study Class of the Bonham Street Methodist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. T. H. Fisher and Mrs. John Jackson, at Mrs. Fisher's home. Mrs. W. M. Shannon was in charge of the register, where 26 names were signed. Roll call was answered with Bible verses.

The opening song was "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Mrs. Neal leading in prayer.

Mrs. Huffstutler led the Bible lesson, based on the Book of Solomon, and part of the Book of Isaiah, this proving a most interesting and helpful study.

In the mission study, "A Sketch of the Centenary Movement," Mrs. T. B. White's topic was "Bethlehem Center." Mrs. Harper had "The Centenary Training School," and Mrs. J. A. Rice talked on "A Royal Guest."

Mrs. Roy Scates gave an instrumental solo, and played the accompaniment for a vocal number in Mrs. Huffstutler, both of which were greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Jackson made the presentation speech for a handkerchief shower given the retiring president, Mrs. Rice.

Resolutions for the new year, submitted by the members, were read by Mrs. G. C. Coleman, and the program closed with some readings by Eunice Fisher, which were very much appreciated.

Mrs. W. A. Dodd was a guest of the afternoon.

At the conclusion of the meeting the hostesses served a salad course and sandwiches.

Dr. Pender at First Baptist

Dr. R. C. Pender, field secretary of the Buckner Orphan Home of Dallas, spoke Sunday morning at the First Baptist church in behalf of that institution, which recently suffered a disastrous loss from fire.

He spoke of the tragedy, and the need and destitute condition in which the children were left. His discourse was interspersed with scriptural references and the responsibility toward orphans and orphanages, and Christ's words, "Inasmuch as ye do it unto the least of these."

Dr. Pender's appeal was with responses and a liberal offering of \$214.88 was taken for the Buckner Home.

The good doctor, former pastor of the church, had a large congregation present to hear him and welcome him to the city where he had won so many warm friends during a long and faithful service here a number of years ago.

In the evening the public installation of the new officers of the B. Y. P. U. preceded the sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Wright, on "My New Year Resolutions." These were:

1. Christ first.
2. Attend church every Sunday.
3. Attend prayer meeting at least once a month.
4. Daily Bible reading.
5. Some place of service in church or Sunday school.
6. Systematic contributions.
7. Be a soul-winner.

Two additions to the church were made during the day.

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The many friends of Smith Coleman throughout the county will be grieved to know that he has suffered another stroke of paralysis, and that his condition is exceedingly grave, with little hope being held out for his recovery. Mr. Coleman was apparently recovering from his previous condition, and had several callers Sunday and on Sunday night. The members of the family were awakened about 3 o'clock Monday morning by his struggles, and medical aid immediately summoned, but the attending physicians can offer no hope to the family of this truly good man.

Matthew Gray has been very ill with pneumonia at his home near Chilcota, but is slowly improving.

The five year old daughter of C. M. Wilkerson of Davis is very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. N. R. Corley of Chilcota, has been quite sick for the past few days.

J. F. Sood, an old resident of Paris, who has been confined to his home nine weeks by sickness, was able to be out two yesterday.

Orin, the nine year old son of W. M. Dancer of Powderly, has been very ill with pneumonia, but is improving.

W. M. Stroud, an old resident of Ben Franklin, who is about 60 years old, was reported at the point of death yesterday. All of his children have been called to his bedside.

The many friends of Dr. W. B. Kendall, who is Baltimore for treatment, will be delighted to know that his condition was not so serious as was reported last week, and that he is now somewhat improved.

Thomas Bates, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improving.

PERSONAL

Dr. M. Copeland of Nashville, Ark., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. P. Ford, north of town.

G. E. DeBerry and G. L. Wood of Bogata were in Paris yesterday.

Frank Amos of Poteau, Okla., was in Paris yesterday.

J. C. Carlock of Ben Franklin transacted business in Paris yesterday.

City Marshal E. P. Harrell and Officer R. S. Rogers attended district court at Cooper yesterday as witnesses.

L. C. Bryant and Ira Bryant and wife of Honey Grove were Paris visitors yesterday.

R. J. Chancellor of Cooper spent last night in Paris on his way home from Shawnee, Ok., where he visited his brother.

J. W. Buehrer of Dallas, a fire and succeeded in having his allotment doubled, but the demand is

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W. L. Gibbons of Clarksville spent last night in Paris.

OSBURN IS IN NEED OF MORE FORD CARS

J. E. Osburn will leave today for Dallas, where he goes to call on the Ford distributors in that city with a view of having his allotment increased. Mr. Osburn made a trip to that city about a month ago with a similar object in view, still growing for Ford cars, and the Osburn Motor Company want to meet this demand, believing that the public will appreciate quick bedside.

TROY THOMPSON IS TO BE A CANDIDATE

Troy Thompson, who is ill at the St. Joseph's Infirmary at present will be in the race for City Secretary. His announcement will appear in the News soon.

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NOTICE is hereby given that at the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Paris the undersigned will apply for a franchise for the use of certain space on and under the sidewalk of No. 87 Lamar avenue, the property of R. F. Scott, in the city of Paris, Texas, for the purpose of installing and operating and maintaining an illuminated barber pole, same to be erected and maintained in compliance with the charter and ordinances of the city of Paris. N. O. Enloe, Paris, Texas, Dec. 23, 1922.

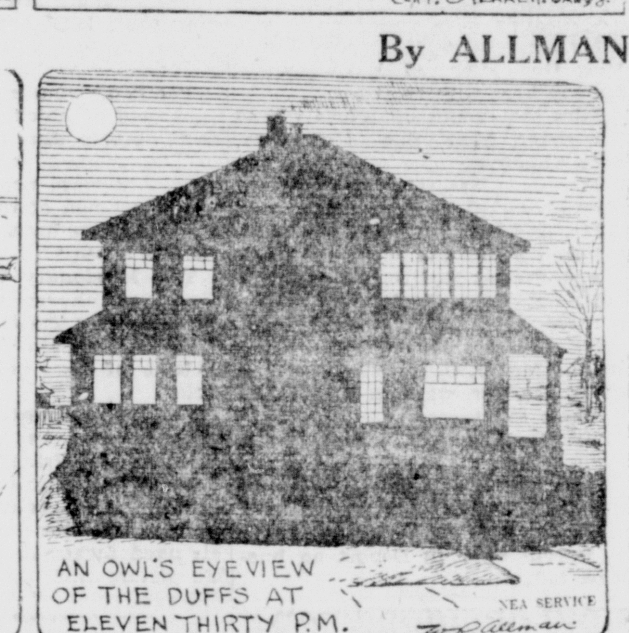
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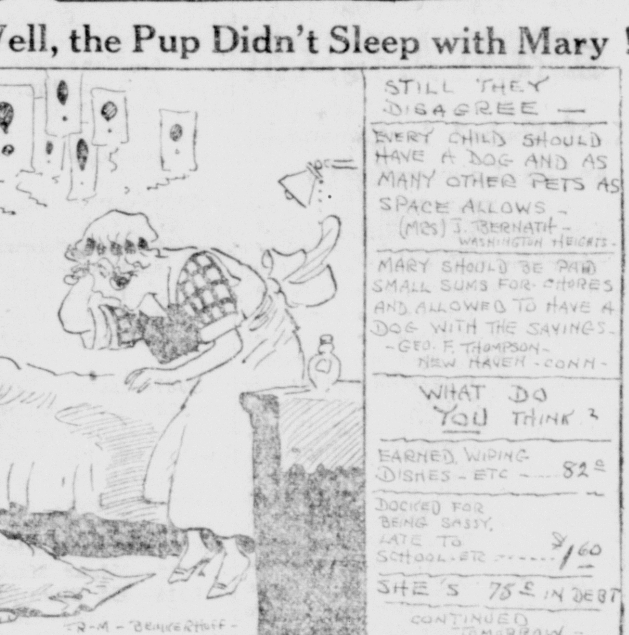
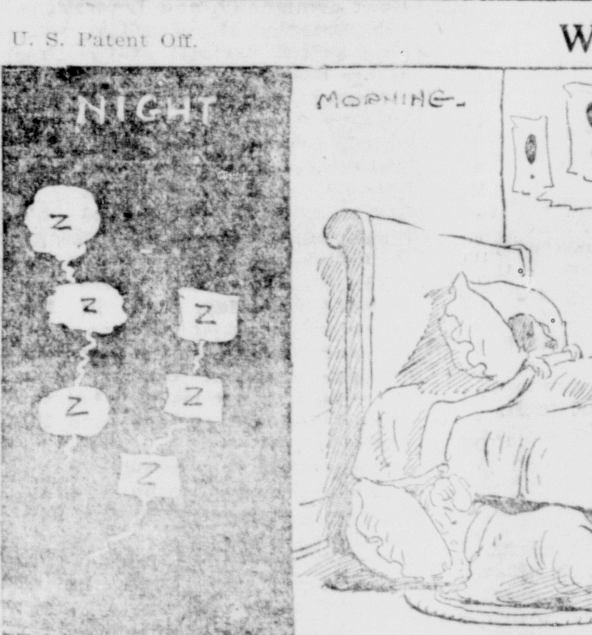
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GREAT COLLECTION OF GOOD SINGERS

Mrs. Schriber of Honey Grove Owns Many Canaries and Other Song Birds

HONEY GROVE, Jan. 8.—Mrs. C. M. Schriber of Honey Grove probably has the largest collection of fine canaries and other song birds of any person in this section, and sells quite a number in this city and elsewhere. She has many valuable birds and Saturday made a shipment of 25 to the Pet Shop in St. Louis. The birds were all shipped in one cage and presented quite a pretty appearance. The birds were excellent whistlers and brought a neat sum. Mrs. Schriber wholesales canaries to all parts of the country and has gained a reputation as a trainer of song birds.

State Fire Inspector Miller was in Honey Grove Saturday making an inspection of the fire risks in the city. He stated that he found things in fine shape. In spite of the extremely dry weather, which is a natural fire hazard, Honey Grove always has a fine record, and this reason enjoys a very low insurance rate. The report of the fire department this year shows more alarms answered than last year, although the loss is considerably less than last year. Only twelve alarms were answered in 1921, while in the year just passed there were 31 alarms.

Lamon Dumas of this city has received word of the death of his father at Sherman, having been found dead in bed Friday morning. Mr. Dumas, Sr., had been in bad health for several months, but was thought to be showing improvement recently. Mr. and Mrs. Dumas went to Sherman to attend the funeral. The McKinney Hardware store was closed out of respect for the deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Munton Grizzard left this morning for Pine Bluff, Ark., where they will make their home. A valuable Boston bull terrier belonging to Karl George hanged itself, breaking its neck, dying instantly. Mr. George had the dog tied in his smoke house at his home in the north part of town to prevent her following him to town. In the smoke house there was a window about four feet from the floor with no glass in it. The dog thinking she could escape jumped to the window sill, intending to jump out. The rope around her neck was long enough to reach from the floor to the window, but not long enough to reach to the ground outside. Hence when the dog jumped to the ground, she was literally hanged, the sudden jerk breaking her neck. Mr. George has sold a large number of registered pups, of which this dog was the mother, and she was valued very highly.

R. Fisher, former Honey Grove chief of police has been appointed Deputy sheriff. Mr. Fisher has had much experience along this line and will make a good one. G. E. Shirley, who has been in Henderson county for the past two years, building concrete roads, spent the week-end here. Mr. Shirley states that when he has completed one more concrete bridge he will be finished with his contracts and will return to this city.

Work on the good road work in this section is now under way in earnest, work having been commenced on all the different projects. The dirt work on the new gravel road connecting the north-east and southeast pikes was started the latter part of the week. The engineer for highway No. 5 has arrived in the city and the work on this project will be started today. The Julian C. Fields Construction Company having commenced moving their equipment here some time ago.

Approximately 6 miles of 18 feet concrete will be built on this highway, and when completed will be a straight stretch for that distance. The road will be run to the Lamar county line on the east and connect with the good roads at the line. However it is said that the Lamar county road will have to be regraded for a distance of some 1000 feet, to make the grade correspond to Federal plans. The road building in and around Honey Grove will give farmers and others considerable work during the summer months and will cause considerable money to be put in circulation here.

Postmaster S. L. Erwin has during the past few weeks issued something like \$25,000 in Treasury Certificates to people living in this section. Many persons bought Certificates, upon cashing their war savings stamps, and others have purchased them with surplus money, to keep from having to pay taxes on their savings.

Mrs. J. W. Wicks died yesterday afternoon after an illness of some several weeks, having been in the sanitarium at Paris for some time. The funeral service will be held at the Oak Ridge cemetery south of Honey Grove this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Wicks is survived by a husband and several children, and these have the sympathy of their many friends in their hour of sorrow.

The condition of Jim Magness, the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Magness, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, is said to be somewhat improved, although he is not yet out of danger.

Will Reed, a member of the Honey Grove Fire Department, who contracted pneumonia at the New Year's fire, is improving nicely. If you want a service car, call 268

LOCAL-PERSONAL NEWS OF BLOSSOM

Baptist Ladies Aid Society Held Joint Session for Discussion of Missions

BLOSSOM, Texas, Jan. 8.—Circles One and Two of the Baptist Aid Society met this afternoon with Mrs. L. Sharpe in home mission study. A business meeting was held after the study.

The Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary met this afternoon with Mrs. Roy B. Bryant in the study of foreign missions, with Miss Leah Pyron as leader. The Methodist Women's Missionary Society met this afternoon with Mrs. Emma Blackburn in Bible study, with Mrs. G. B. Lawrence as leader.

Dr. W. J. Patton and Ralph Lewis were in Paris on business today. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Maddox were Paris visitors today. Mrs. B. B. Port and little daughter returned last night from a short visit with relatives in Paris. Bert Bates of Clarksville visited friends here Saturday and Sunday. S. S. Griffin and family of Paris spent Sunday here with relatives. George Fuller and George Grant of Deport were Blossom visitors Sunday.

Frances Clarkson of Faught visited friends here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith and Miss Una Miers of Bonanza spent Sunday here with relatives. Miss McLennan of Paris visited her sister, Miss Sue McLennan, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford were shopping in Paris today. Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Allen and children spent the week-end with her mother at Red Oak. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Davis visited relatives in Faught Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Coursey and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kackley and Mrs. C. B. Rudder were in Deport on business today. Mrs. R. R. Cagle was shopping in Paris today.

Commissioner Terry of Paris was a Blossom visitor today. Gus Butler, Montie Ward and R. B. Bryant were in Deport on business today.

NEW OFFICERS FOR DEPORT A. L. POST

K. U. Kimball Is Commander and Has Co-operating Corps With Him

DEPORT, Jan. 8.—At a meeting held in the First State bank building this morning the following officers for the year: K. U. Kimball, post commander; Stanley Bell, vice commander; J. C. Barham, adjutant; Felix Stalls, finance officer; Buck Mathews, post historian; Willis H. Johnson, sergeant at arms; Joe W. Scott, chaplain; Russell Kelsey, bugler; Clarence Nobles, John Thompson, Dean Oliver, R. J. Hill and Jess Argo compose the executive committee. The post expects to have a prosperous year with its officers such a good bunch of boosters.

Rev. J. E. Aubrey occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. The automobile race will begin in the Presbyterian Sunday school next Sunday. There are ten cars in the contest, in which every member of the Sunday school and church will take part.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the First State bank of Deport held Tuesday the bank building, the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Joe A. Grant, T. T. Jeffus, J. R. Westbrook, Sr., J. E. Westbrook, E. O. Thompson, J. R. Hutchison and Wm. Eudy.

There has been quite a lot of moving since the first. Among those who are moving this week are N. D. Hammond to the place vacated by Ed Campbell in East Deport. Mr. Campbell moved to Milton last week. Dr. Cockrell and Ed Nixon will occupy the place vacated by Mr. Hammond.

Those who are teaching out of town and who spent the week-end at home are Misses Annie Laura Strickland, Ollene Baughn, Ina Petty, Estelle and Thelma Bagley, and Delbert Kyle.

Miss Blanche Stallings was a week-end visitor of Miss Allene Baughn.

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THE PRODUCTION OF COTTON IN THE WORLD

(Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Total production of cotton for the 1922-23 season in countries that produced over 99 per cent of the world's crop in the period 1909-13 is estimated at 15,250,000 bales of 475 pounds net, according to the department of agriculture. This is an increase of 2,559,000 bales or 20 per cent over the production for the same countries last year, and a decrease of 3,991,000 bales, or 21 per cent, from the average production for the five years, 1909-13. The countries covered are the United States, Mexico, Russia, India, Egypt, and Korea.

LYNCH SURRENDERS CONTROL OF THEATRES

(Associated Press) ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 8.—S. A. Lynch has reached an agreement with the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation to surrender control of his holdings in the motion picture business in the South, according to information received here tonight from New York. The deal involves the exchange of \$5,700,000.

PETTY TO RAISE MORE CHICKENS

Getting Ready for Another Visit from the American Legion Entertainers

PETTY, Texas, Jan. 8.—The Junior league gave a good and interesting program Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church. Jack Hollis and wife have moved to the Claude Clark farm. Horace Hollis and wife have moved into his father's house, recently vacated by Jack Hollis.

Mrs. Mattie Eubank is improving again, which will be good news for this noble woman's friends and family. There is some moving here again, though it was thought everything had changed places for awhile. Mrs. James Harmon and two daughters have returned to their home at Lubbock after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Roden were Paris visitors today. Miss Verona Howe visited her parents here Saturday and Sunday. Miss Myrtle Robinson, county superintendent, was a visitor here Friday afternoon and evening. Rev. Crain had large congregations at both morning and evening services Sunday.

The farmers are very busy bedding their land from the looks of snow in the fields around here today. The good women are planning to do lots of chickens and gardens as it seems that the American Legion was the many baked ones that were prepared for them. We women of this place Friday night, and we hope the Legion will visit us again.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at 2 o'clock every Tuesday afternoon. Uncle Bill Baker is attending the bedside of his brother at Willis Point.

The water question is becoming serious here, as hauling water started again Friday. T. L. Hollingsworth and son, James Monroe, returned home Friday from a three weeks' visit with his aged father in Mississippi, and his sisters and other relatives in different parts of Alabama.

MISDEMEANOR DOCKET OF COUNTY COURT

- 9—Henry Simmons, pistol.
- 1—Dan Pilgrim, a. a. and b. d. p.
- 6—Francis Mosley, fornication.
- 8—Billie Littlejohn, fornication.
- 6964—Earl Easterwood, theft and rec., con. s. p.
- 7—Earl McComb, mal. fal.
- 2—Herman Holje, mal. mis.
- 3—Imma Massey, mal. mis.
- 4—James Mahaffey, mal. mis.
- 6—Florence Coleman, a. a. and b. d. p.
- 6967—Homer Laye, theft.
- 6970—Amos Luster, theft.
- 6969—Ada Haywood, adultery.
- 6968—Tom Chambers, adultery.
- 6887—Ernest Geig, rec. and con. stolen property.
- 6940—E. Moser, drunk.
- 6992—Bertha Hicks, affray.
- 6722—Edgar Masters, theft.
- 6316—Ed Thompson, pistol.
- 6963—Dewey Carls, wife desertion.
- 6886—Russell Stansell, a. a. and b. d. p.
- 6862—Bob Wilson, theft.
- 6959—Jesse Hendricks, embezzlement.
- 6749—Ed Taylor, drunk.
- 6888—Pervis Sales, theft.
- 6958—George Bishop, swindling.
- Monday, January 15
- Tuesday, January 16
- 6956—Will King, slander.
- 6924—Frank Wellman, gaming.
- 6916—George Carpenter, gaming.
- 6782—Willie Barry, gaming.
- 6914—Frank Casey, gaming.
- 6918—Beve Gray, gaming.
- 6915—Arch Jackson, gaming.
- 6920—Oscar Evert, gaming.
- 6959—Barney Kinard, gaming.
- 6921—Bud Grimes, gaming.
- 6824—Nolan Walters, dis. peace.
- 6881—Carl Hamilton, wantonly killing cow.
- 6881—George Pex, wantonly killing cow.
- 6889—Joe Kidd, theft and rec. and con. stolen property.
- 6378—Ted Harnos, defrauding hotel.
- 6926—William Hainesworth, theft.
- 6774—John Pierson, theft.
- 6780—Will Hubbard, theft.
- 6783—Will Hart, theft.
- 6240—H. T. Biard, theft.
- 6241—H. T. Biard, theft.
- 6242—H. T. Biard, theft.
- 6915—W. M. Gray, gaming.
- 6284—W. M. Chick, swindling.
- 10—D. H. Brooks, theft.
- 11—Mose Meldrow, vagrancy.
- Wednesday, January 17
- 6278—Willie Hardy, theft.
- 6781—Jeff Davis, theft.
- 6762—D. C. Shelton, dis. peace.
- 6766—Jim King, a. a. and b. d. p.
- 6789—Floyd Freeman, simple assault.
- 6951—Della Jones, adultery.
- 6952—M. A. Gunn, adultery.
- 6699—Jim Moneyham, theft.
- 6282—L. F. Hood, swindling.
- 6679—Half Stages, assignation house.
- 6749—D. C. Shelton, pistol.
- 6779—Freddie Gray, theft.
- 6680—T. C. Hart, a. a. and b. d. p.
- 6467—Dee Harvey, drunk.
- 6074—Murry Discker, gaming.
- 6823—Allen Jeffus, dis. peace.

JOHN STURGEON, County attorney, Lamar county.

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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Security Investment Company, Paris, Texas, will be held in the office of the company at 4 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, January 10, 1923, for the purpose of election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

C. F. HOUSE, President.

MRS. ELLEN MARTIN IS DEAD AT ROXTON

Had Long Been a Sufferer and Was Not Able to Lie Down

ROXTON, Jan. 8.—With the dying sun of yesterday's Sabbath the beautiful soul of Mrs. Ellen Richey Martin, wife of the late Ephraim Martin, passed away. Tired of the world, due to her intense suffering, she begged to go home to God. Her prayer was answered yesterday at 3:10 p. m., and now her weary body is at rest.

Something near three years ago she contracted dropsy and since that time she had had to sit in her chair as it was impossible for her to lie down. About six months after her illness, her husband passed away, August 4, 1920. At that time it was thought she would leave him here as a lonely companion but God knew best and took him, leaving her even at that time in a critical condition. In passing the home, one could always see her bright face through the window, sitting there in her chair. Her friends and relatives regarded her as having more patience than anyone. She always greeted her visitors with a smile, though her pain was great.

Mrs. Martin had been feeling very well until Thursday night, then her condition was realized as very critical. She was unconscious for two days before her death and was a relief for her to be taken and not left here to suffer any longer.

She was a great Christian, even as she lay there in a critical condition, people noticed her small bible on the telephone which was near her chair.

Mrs. Martin was born in 1876, and in 1895 was married to Ephraim Martin. She was reared in the Noble community, moving here a few years after her marriage.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Sherman Pierce, who patiently stood by her mother during her entire illness; one son, Dee Martin, who lived with his mother; three sisters, Mrs. Jim Creed and Miss Alvie Richey of Roxton, and Mrs. John Mullens of Honey Grove, and four brothers, Steve and Oscar of Roxton, Henry, of the White Rock community, and Leverett, of San Antonio, all of whom were here except Leverett at the time of her death.

Funeral services will be held at Hickory Grove cemetery at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. H. Sevenshine of this place and Rev. Clyde A. Long of McKinney.

Rev. Alpha Shelton filled his regular appointment at Howland yesterday.

The Sunday schools were well attended yesterday, each of the four churches revising their roll and starting out with the new year. The attendance at the Christian churches was not learned, but the Baptist had 125 present, and the Methodist 131.

There were four people of the Christian church who attended Sunday school every Sunday during the last year.

John Mullen and children are here from Honey Grove, having come to see Mr. Martin.

Johnson Smith is seriously ill at his home. Will Smith and family were out from Paris yesterday to see him.

Viola Williams, a colored woman living near Noble was knocked unconscious Saturday near the school house when her horse, which she was driving, became frightened and ran away.

Several members of Steve Richey's family are ill.

HOWLAND STATE BANK

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 26,875.09
Loans, real estate	1,200.00
Overdrafts	18.21
Bonds and Stocks	474.46
Real estate banking	
house	2,500.00
Other real estate	1,441.09
Furniture and fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other banks and bankers and cash on hand	33,205.47
Interest in Depositor's Guaranty Fund	2,053.41
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	1,582.37
Other resources	1,453.36
Total	72,403.36

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits, net	1,876.97
Individual deposits, subject to check	40,310.67
Time Certificates of Deposits	5,547.97
Cashier's checks	147.71
Total	72,403.36

State of Texas, County of Lamar: We, T. P. Justiss as president, and W. R. Justiss, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. P. JUSTISS, President.
W. R. JUSTISS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1923.

WALTER WILSON, Notary Public, Lamar Co., Texas.
Corrected—Attest: W. C. Shelton, J. W. Williams, M. S. Bledsoe, Directors.

MEETING CHICOTA COMMUNITY CLUB

Next Meeting Is to Be Held January Nineteen and Program Is Being Arranged

CHICOTA, Jan. 8.—While J. S. Porter, aged 69, was attempting to climb up on a stalk cutter from the rear of the machine he became overbalanced and fell backwards on the ground, jerking the lines which caused the team to start to backing with the result that Mr. Porter was severely cut in three places.

Mr. Russell came along the side of the field soon after this accident occurred and rendered what first aid that was possible. The old gentleman was carried home as quickly as possible while a doctor and a nurse from Paris were summoned.

More than three hundred stitches were required to sew up the wounds.

At last accounts Mr. Porter was resting fairly well but will be in bed for some time on account of his advanced age. It is feared he will be permanently disabled.

The Chicota Community Club will have its regular meetings every first and third Friday nights. The next program will be given on Friday, January 19, at which time they have secured the services of the Master Four Quartet and also several other numbers. Messrs. Sturgeon and Lawrence of course are rather busy at this time but they have consented to be with the party at Chicota on that date. A supper will be served the party before the program.

On Thursday evening of this week a radio expert has consented to give an exhibition of the radio and its wonders to the pupils of the school at the school building. The public is cordially invited to be present. Program will begin about 7 o'clock.

R. J. Colbert, who has been with the Chicota people several years has moved to Paris and will be connected with the Simmons Grocer Company, the new wholesale grocer company of that city.

The New Year moves have made little change in the school attendance as it still stands about the two hundred mark.

The music memory committee was on the job last Saturday selling tamales to buy records. Enough money was realized to buy several records. They are expecting to have the entire set ready by February 1st. Chicota is expecting to make a good showing in music memory at the Interscholastic League contests to be held in the near future.

The Chicota Scout troop is now growing rapidly. At the last meeting night twenty-four were present. Another patrol is expected to join next meeting night which will make the full troop organization.

The boys have a great deal of fun and are making a good showing in contests and in advancement in scouting.

Brother B. E. Wallace will deliver a special sermon at 3 o'clock to the Chicota troop. All fathers and mothers are urged to be present.

Viola Williams, a colored woman living near Noble was knocked unconscious Saturday near the school house when her horse, which she was driving, became frightened and ran away.

Several members of Steve Richey's family are ill.

HOWLAND TO HAVE BIG TOURNAMENT

Cordial Invitation Extended to Basketball Devotees for Next Saturday

HOWLAND, Jan. 8.—Sumner had a meet for basketball Saturday, January 6, attended with a senior team and had such a good time we want to have one here Saturday, January 13.

We have a good ground, four courts and an abundance of good water. We have some mighty good folks here, too, who are anxious for us to have several games on that date.

We are extending a cordial invitation to every school that can possibly come, either class B or rural.

We cannot invite each school personally but want to do it through the columns of The Morning News.

We want to urge each school, who can come, to notify us at once so we can make a more definite announcement. If we have enough schools to justify it we can begin before noon.

I believe meets of this kind are good for a community in several respects. Saturday is a good day because it does not interfere with school work and gives many more a chance to attend.

R. E. BRECHEN.

HOOPER TO REMAIN IN COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

(Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—An offer by President Harding to transfer Secretary Hoover from the commerce department to the interior department was declined by Mr. Hoover today because, as he said in a public statement, he has undertaken a departmental reorganization and the "job is not yet complete."

RED CROSS WILL HELP CHILDREN OF GERMANY

(Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Acting on an urgent appeal from the German Red Cross endorsed by American Ambassador Houghton at Berlin, the American Red Cross has appropriated \$25,000 for the relief of suffering among German children.

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- 32-inch Kilburnie Gingham, plaids, solids and beautiful colors, at yard..... 29c
- 32-inch Toile du Nord, plaids and small checks, solid colors to match, yard..... 32 1/2c
- 32-inch French Gingham, in beautiful dress styles, wonderful quality, dainty colors, yard..... 49c

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